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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**IN RE APPLICATION OF:**

**KIM ET.AL.**

**SERIAL NO. : 10/624,254**

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**FOR: Functional Coatings for the  
Reduction of Oxygen  
Permeation and Stress and  
Method for Forming the Same**

**Examiner: A. Austin**

**Group Art Unit: 1775**

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
AND AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed Aug. 23, 2006, the Advisory Action of Oct. 4, 2006 and the Interview of Nov. 9, 2006, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Applicant requests continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114. A check for the appropriate fee is enclosed.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.